



01-31-05

YAM 20013

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450
www.uspto.gov

Mail Date: 01/13/05

Application Number: 10/018924

RECEIVED

JAN 19 2005

FAY, SHARPE, FAGAN,
MINNICH & MCKEE, LLP

RMC
RICHARD M KLEIN
FAY SHARPE FAGAN MINNICH & MCKEE
1100 SUPERIOR FLOOR
SEVENTH FLOOR
CLEVELAND, OH 44114

NOTICE TO PAY BALANCE OF ISSUE FEE

The issue fee payment filed on 11/09/04 has been received. Although the fee specified in the Notice of Allowance was received, new patent fees went into effect on October 1, 2004, after the mailing date of the Notice. See the final rule, *Revision of Patent Fees for Fiscal Year 2005, Final Rule*, 69 Fed. Reg. 52604 (August 27, 2004). As stated in the final rule, "Any fee amount that is paid on or after the effective date of the fee adjustment will be subject to the new fees then in effect." The Notice of Allowance (Form PTOL-85) that was mailed prior to October 1, 2004, stated an issue fee amount that was in effect prior to October 1, 2004. However, in as much as the issue fee was paid on or after October 1, 2004, the new issue fee amount was due instead of the amount specified in the Notice of Allowance.

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.317, applicant is given a time period of **THREE (3) MONTHS** from the mailing date of this notice during which to pay the **BALANCE DUE** indicated below. The balance due is the difference between the issue fee required on the date that the correct issue fee is paid and the amount that was previously paid. Applicants should check the current fee schedule posted on the USPTO internet web site at: <http://www.uspto.gov/main/howtofees.htm> before paying the balance due in order to ensure that the correct fee is paid. This three-month time period may not be extended. If the balance due is not paid before the expiration of the three-month period, the application will become abandoned (if not issued) or the patent will lapse (if issued) at the termination of the three-month period.

TYPE OF ISSUE FEE PAID	Column A ISSUE FEE IN EFFECT AS OF OCTOBER 1, 2004 large entity / small entity	Column B ISSUE FEE PAID	BALANCE DUE ¹ [Col. A minus Col. B]
UTILITY	\$1,370.00/ \$685.00	\$ 1330.00	\$ 40.00
DESIGN	\$490.00 / \$245.00	\$	\$
PLANT	\$660.00 / \$330.00	\$	\$

Adjustment date: 02/02/2005 LWONDIH2
11/15/2004 JADD02 00000007 10018924
01 FC:1506 -1330.00 OP

Krystal Paige
Krystal Paige, Patent Publications
Tel: 703-305-9080
Fax: 703-746-4642

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with payment.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this notice and the required additional fee are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage for first class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Issue Fee, Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date indicated below.

Printed Name: _____

Signature: _____

¹ Applicants should check the current fee schedule posted on the USPTO internet web site at: <http://www.uspto.gov/main/howtofees.htm> before paying the balance due in order to ensure that the correct issue fee is paid.

"DOCKETED"

02/02/2005 LWONDIH2 00000022 10018924

1400.00 OP

01 FC:1501



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF : Yanagita Toshihiko
FOR : **COMPOSITION FOR PROMOTING
PASSIVE EXTENSION OF BLADDER
SMOOTH MUSCLE**
SERIAL NO. : 10/018,924
FILED : December 19, 2001
EXAMINER : Sheridan Snedden
ART UNIT : 1653
NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE MAILED : September 20, 2004.
CONFIRMATION NO. : 8207
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. : YAMZ 2 00013

CERTIFICATE OF EXPRESS MAILING UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

"Express Mail" Mailing Label Number: EV 494998941 US

Date of Deposit: January 28, 2005

I hereby certify that the attached **Notice to Pay Balance of Issue Fee** and additional **Issue Fee** are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to: MAIL STOP ISSUE FEE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.


Lynda S. Kalemba